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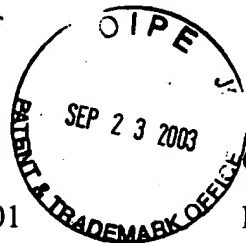
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For: SELF-ALIGNED SILICIDE (SALICIDE) PROCESS FOR LOW RESISTIVITY CONTACTS TO THIN FILM SILICON-ON-INSULATOR AND BULK MOSFETS AND FOR SHALLOW JUNCTIONS

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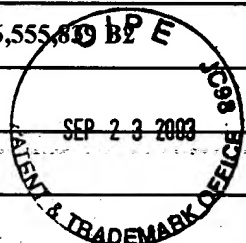
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